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Notice of Allowability

Application No. 08/676,125

Applicant(s)

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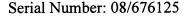
Examiner

Nancy J. Degen

Group Art Unit 1805



herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due or other appropriate communication will be mailed in due course.
∑ This communication is responsive to the Amendment filed 12/22/97 and the Terminal Disclaimer filed 2/5/98 .
∑ The allowed claim(s) is/are 1-13
The drawings filed on are acceptable.
☐ Acknowledgement is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d).
☐ All ☐ Some* ☐ None of the CERTIFIED copies of the priority documents have been
received.
received in Application No. (Series Code/Serial Number)
\Box received in this national stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 1.7.2(a)).
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Acknowledgement is made of a claim for domestic priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e).
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□ Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF INFORMAL APPLICATION, PTO-152, which discloses that the oath or declaration is deficient. A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION IS REQUIRED.
Applicant MUST submit NEW FORMAL DRAWINGS
\square because the originally filed drawings were declared by applicant to be informal.
including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review, PTO-948, attached hereto or to Paper No
including changes required by the proposed drawing correction filed on, which has been approved by the examiner.
including changes required by the attached Examiner's Amendment/Comment.
Identifying indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1.84(c)) should be written on the reverse side of the drawings. The drawings should be filed as a separate paper with a transmittal lettter addressed to the Official Draftsperson.
☐ Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.
Any response to this letter should include, in the upper right hand corner, the APPLICATION NUMBER (SERIES CODE/SERIAL NUMBER). If applicant has received a Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due, the ISSUE BATCH NUMBER and DATE of the NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE should also be included.
Attachment(s)
☐ Notice of References Cited, PTO-892
☐ Information Disclosure Statement(s), PTO-1449, Paper No(s)
□ Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review, PTO-948
□ Notice of Informal Patent Application, PTO-152
☑ Interview Summary, PTO-413
X Examiner's Amendment/Comment
Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit of Biological Material
Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance



Art Unit: 1805



EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Attorney Leon R. Yankwich on February 2, 1998.

2. The application has been amended as follows:

At claim 4, line 2, "substantially" has been deleted.

At claim 5, line 1, "prevented or" has been deleted.

At claim 8, line 1, "prevented or" has been deleted.

At claim 11, line 1, "prevented or" has been deleted.

3. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the Examiner should be directed to Nancy J. Degen, whose telephone number is (703) 308-3672. The Examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Thursday from 8:00 AM-5:30 PM. The Examiner can also be reached on alternate Fridays.

If attempts to reach the Examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the Examiner's supervisor, George Elliott, can be reached at (703) 308-4003. The fax phone number for this Group is (703) 305-3014.

Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application should be directed to the Group receptionist whose telephone number is (703) 308-0196.

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February 3, 1998

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